

DRESS GOODS—STONE &amp; THOMAS.

# STONE & THOMAS.

This week will see the last of the Biber & Easton Sale. Large as the stock was, another week of such selling and it will be a thing of the past.

## Dress Goods and High Class Suitings

AT REMARKABLY LOW PRICES.

Over 100 styles All Wool, Silk and Wool, and Plain Serges and Henriettas, in all the new spring shadings. Values that never before sold less than 75c and 85c. This week at..... **49c**

Over 50 pieces 50 inches wide Tailor Made Suitings, Imported Covert Cloths, all the new colors, 98c, \$1.15 and \$1.25 qualities. This week at..... **79c**

A collection of over 110 styles High Class Novelties, Imported Mixtures, Armures, Whipcords, in New Apple Greens, Yale Blue, Greys, etc., \$1.50 and \$1.65 qualities. This week at..... **98c**

Fine Imported French Poplins, 48 inches wide, in Pearl Grey, Tan and Olive Shades, Strictly All Wool; also 52-inch English Covert Cloths, in New Green, Yale Blue and Greys. This week at \$1.50 and..... **\$1.65**

Finer grades Dress Goods; also High Class Pattern Suits on up to \$4.50 per yard.

## Black Dress Goods.

Only space here to mention one item in Black Goods. A late arrival—50 pieces 42 inches wide, elegant High Finished Black Crepons, Beautiful New Designs, and the best value we've ever been able to offer in this line. This week per yard..... **\$1.25**

## Ladies' Tailored Suits.

From the Biber & Easton stock. All this season's goods, strictly first-class and at a saving of over one-third to you.

Ladies' All Wool Covert Cloth Suits; also All Wool Black Serge Suits, perfectly made. Biber & Easton's price \$12.00. Our price..... **\$7.45**

Ladies' Fine Broadcloth Suits; Jackets and Skirts Braid Trimmed; Jackets Silk Lined; also All Wool Covert, Melton and Mixed Novelty Suits; Jackets lined with Satin. Biber & Easton's price \$15.00. Our price..... **\$9.95**

Ladies' All Wool Black Serge Suits; strictly Tailor Made; lined throughout with Silk. A special value Monday at..... **\$15.00**

Finer grades Ladies' Suits that space prevents enumerating on up to \$37.50 each.

# STONE & THOMAS.

UNLAUNDRIED SHIRTS—GEO. M. SNOOK &amp; CO.

**UNLAUNDRIED SHIRTS.**

Not 49c, But.... **50c.**

Fifty cents simply because we could not afford to sell them at 49c. Note well: Made of genuine Wamsutta Muslin—full 36 inches long—pure linen insert fronts—cushioned collar buttonholes—latest approved yoke—continuous seams—graded sizes and sleeve lengths—bosoms will launder without wrinkling. Made just like dollar shirts—set well—wear well. 'T would be folly to entertain cheaper ones when you secure perfection in these. All sizes for Men and Boys.

### Dust Responsible

for this drop. About fifteen dozen fancy laundered shirts, worth 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25. Dusty, true, but only **50c.**

### Stanley Shirts

for men head the list, and our collection of these with stiff or soft bosoms is just about twice as extensive as last season. **48c to 98c.**

Most everything for men here.

### Hose 10c.

Full forty gauge—fast black and seamless. Ladies, these would be well worth having at 10c. Everything in Hosiery here.

It's just such good things as these which are responsible for our growing business.

# GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

HATS—M'FADDEN'S.

## The \$5.00 Dunlap Style Hat for \$2.50.



Don't ask us how we can, or why we sell these fine hats at this low price, but take our advice and come in to-day and fit your head with one of these stylish and pretty hats. Just now we have all sizes of black or golden brown, to-morrow they may all be gone.

**McFadden's,**  
1320 and 1322 Market Street, Wheeling.

SHOES—ALEXANDER.



The newest Bicycle Shoe..... Is ten inches high (see cut). Our Style, Our Last, Brown and Black..... **\$3.00, \$3.50.** And they fit.

**ALEXANDER,**  
SHOE SELLER. + 1049 MAIN.  
Shined and properly cared for free.

BICYCLES.

**Bicycles.**

BEAT OUR LINE IF YOU CAN.

Cleveland.....\$50, \$65, \$75.  
Outings.....45, 50, 60.  
Stearns.....50, 75.  
Pattee Crest.....35.  
Juveniles.....20, 25.

The Celebrated Union Whitehead Track and Road Race, Jimmy Michael won \$40,000 in 1897 riding a Whitehead.

**DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.**

SHOES—NAY BROTHERS.

## HAVE YOU HEARD OF OUR

**LADIES' Three Dollar Shoe? TAN AND BLACK.**

We are satisfied it is just a little bit AHEAD in Style, Quality and Finish of any SHOE other dealers may show you at this price. Our regular customers know this. Are you our customer?

YOU ARE INVITED.

**NAY BROTHERS,**  
ONE PRICE SHOES.  
1317 Market St.

## The Intelligencer

Office: Nos. 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.

Wanted—Position as Bookkeeper. Concentrated Tomato Soup—Albert Stolze & Co.  
Found—A Pocketbook.  
Wanted—Middle Aged Lady.  
Lost—Scarf Pin.  
Have You Heard?—Nay Brothers—Eighth Page.  
Two Ways—Jason C. Stamp.  
Puritan Gas Ranges—Nesbitt & Bro.  
Try Them—R. H. List.  
No Stove or Range Equal to the Valley Star—B. Fisher.  
For Sale—Howard Hazlett.  
Auction of Household Goods.  
Deposits—Mutual Savings Bank.  
Gas Stoves—Geo. W. Johnson's Sons.  
Seal Coffee—H. F. Behrens Co.  
E. B. Potts' New Store—Second Page.  
Unlaundried Shirts—Geo. M. Snook & Co.—Eighth Page.  
Men's Fine Suits—M. Gutman & Co.—Fifth Page.  
The \$5.00 Dunlap Style Hats for \$2.50—McFadden's—Eighth Page.  
House & Herrmann—Wheeling Leading Bicycle Headquarters—Fifth Page.

**\$10** Will buy a perfect Talking Machine, and an instrument that will reproduce vocal and instrumental music records. For sale by **J. W. GRUBB, Jeweler, 1306 Market St.**

**Spring Opening.** Fine Tailoring. Popular Prices. Regardless of advance in wools, we are prepared to make to order Suits, Overcoats and Trousers at last year's reduced and popular prices. Suits \$20.00 up. Overcoats \$18.00 up. Pants \$5.00 up. The artistic cut and stylish appearance of our garments recommend themselves. Inviting inspection. **C. HESS & SONS, Fashionable Tailors and Fine Furriers, 1321 and 1343 Market Street.**

LAST TAX NOTICE.

Call at Sherin's office and pay your taxes save interest, costs and trouble. Taxes for 1897 are long past due, and further time cannot be given. **H. C. RICHARDS, Sheriff Ohio County, Office, Public Building.**

**In Clerk Robertson's Office.** Yesterday, in Clerk Robertson's office, a marriage license was issued to Thomas Cox, aged thirty-three years, of Wheeling, and Carrie Brown, aged thirty-seven years, of Wheeling, both colored.

The will of Christopher F. Wagner, with A. G. Hadlich as executor, was probated. The bond is \$500, with T. S. Riley surety.

**In the Circuit Court.** Yesterday, in the circuit court, the following cases were considered: W. J. Cotts vs. City of Wheeling; as-sumpsit set for May 5.

William Carey vs. City of Wheeling, and Jane Carey vs. City of Wheeling, re-set for May 25.

William J. Lyle's appointment as a deputy sheriff was confirmed. Byron Husband, et al., vs. Wheeling Stained Glass and Decorating Company; defendant suggested the non-residence of the plaintiff and demanded security for costs. The motion by defendant to dismiss the cause, provided plaintiff gives security in the meantime, was set for hearing on April 23.

**THE little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.** Pleasant to take; perfectly harmless; positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma.

**LADIES,** clean your kid gloves with Miller's Gloveine, for sale only by J. S. Rhodes & Co. Sole agents for the celebrated Clementina Kid Gloves. All the most desirable shades for street or evening wear.

## BACK TO COUNCIL

Again Goes the Garbage Contract Recommendation of

COUNCIL'S HEALTH COMMITTEE.

THE COMMITTEE FELT THAT IT COULD NOT RECOMMEND A BID HIGHER THAN THE LOWEST, THAT OF ROBERT D. CLINE, WHOSE SURETIES WERE CONSIDERED AMPLE SECURITY FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF THE CONTRACT—ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE MEETS.

Last evening, in the office of the mayor, the council committee on health held a special meeting for the purpose of further considering bids on the city's garbage contract for the ensuing two years. At a former meeting, the committee had recommended to council the bid of Robert D. Cline at \$8,900, the lowest of several that had been submitted. Council, on motion of Mr. Connelly, passed a resolution sending the matter back to the committee, the councilman alleging that Mr. Cline had been unduly favored by the committee.

When the committee gathered, those present were Chairman John K. List, and Councilmen Buecy, Watson, Schmidt, McKelvey, Meyer, Beckett and Williams, members of the committee, and Mayor Butts.

After a short discussion, in the course of which it was shown that the committee felt disinclined to recommend to council any other bid than the lowest, Mr. McKelvey moved that the Cline bid be again recommended favorably.

There was some discussion regarding the bondsmen, who are John W. Kemple and Henry Ritter, and the committee had information that led it to believe they would be satisfactory, insuring the payment of fines for non-performance of duties by the contractor, or payment of any expense the city would be involved in in case Cline gave up the contract.

"Is there any intimation that Cline can't perform the conditions of the contract?" was asked by Mr. McKelvey. There was a general "No" in response to the question.

Mr. Watson spoke of the Cline bid being so much lower than the others, but the committee, believing the sureties were good, felt that to be Mr. Cline's business more than a concern of the committee's.

There appeared to be some regret that it was not possible to award the contract to the present contractor, Charles Becker, to whose record for good work the committee gave unanimous assent. In the past, it was said, council had had some trouble in compelling contractors, who had bid very low, to perform all of the conditions of the garbage contract; but in the present case it was believed Cline, who is a man of experience in this line, would do good work.

Finally the committee voted unanimously to present its former recommendation to council, which is that Cline be given the contract, at his bid of \$8,900.

Committee on Accounts.

The council committee on accounts met last evening and audited the books of City Clerk Watkins and City Receiver Forgy, which were found in their usual correct condition.

The committee audited bills amounting to \$418 79, which are recommended to council for payment.

Railroads Committee.

The council committee on railroads has been called to meet this evening at 7 o'clock, just previous to the meeting of council.

Council to-Night.

There is to be a special meeting of council this evening, at which the garbage contract recommendation of the health committee will be acted upon. It is believed that the recommendation will be acted upon favorably, Cline's bid being the lowest and his bondsmen satisfactory.

A COLLEGE OF COLOSSUSES.

The Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Separate Elephant Schools.

One of the most stupendous and interesting results of bringing the original great Adam Forepaugh show and the Sells Brothers' monster united shows together will be illustrated in Wheeling on Wednesday, May 4, in the appearance of the three famous herds of performing elephants heretofore separately exhibited. One is the original and only Adam Forepaugh herd, the collection of which began nearly half a century ago, and which has been in continuous training ever since. It includes one of the biggest, wisest, and oldest of their species, taught in a special school, and will be brought in performing contrast with the Sells Brothers' equally huge and sagacious herds, whose intelligence and powers of mimicry have been directed in a different method. These giant droves represent the Asiatic, African, Ceylon, Java and Borneo varieties—the miles and mammoths of every species, from the dwarf and baby to the century-old tremendous tusker. There are elephant soldiers, policemen, boxers, bicyclists, dudes, waiters, bonvivants, clowns, musicians, mimics, dancers, gymnasts, balancers, comedians and posturers, in drills, waltzes, quadrilles, pantomimes, concerts, farcical mishaps, huge pyramids, and acts and antics seemingly impossible to such bulky creatures.

COOK'S Imperial Champagne reaches the spot.

COOK'S Imperial Champagne is always good.

COOK'S Imperial Champagne makes you young.

A LITTLE boy asked for a bottle of "get up in the morning as fast as you can," the druggist recognized a household name for De Witt's Little Early Risers, and gave him a bottle of those famous pills for constipation, sick headache, liver and stomach troubles, Charles R. Goetze, Market and Twelfth streets; Chatham Sinclair, Forty-sixth and Jacob streets; A. E. Scheeie, No. 607 Main street; Exley Bros., Penn and Zane streets; Bowle & Co., Bridgeport.

10 cents a day pays for a telephone in your residence. Take one and get your name in the new telephone book.

## WE WILL TELL YOU



If your headaches come from weak eyes; also if glasses will relieve them. Do you have headaches? Do your eyes water, smart or burn? Does the print run together when reading? Do things appear double or misty? Have a desire to rub the eyes? "Twisting"? For any trouble of your eyes consult us. We make glasses at popular prices. Make a careful examination free of charge and rely on our skill and not our patients' judgment or answers.

Consultation and examination free. **PROP. H. SHEET, THE EYE SPECIALIST, Corner Main and Eleventh Streets.**

THE HUB—CLOTHIERS AND FURNISHERS.

# Parents Delight

in dressing their boys well, and many of them imagine that in order to do so they must pay big prices for their boy's clothes. This was so until we inaugurated the new era of boys' clothes selling. We choose rather to sell a hundred suits at a small profit than twenty-five suits at a large profit. That is the whole secret of our big boys' clothing business. No matter what low prices our competitors may advertise, you will be sure to find the actual values greater here than elsewhere. If you have but little money to spend, all the more reason why you should trade here. It is in our lower cost of boys' clothing that you can best judge intrinsic values. Investigate our statements. You certainly know good things when you see them.

Boys' Junior Suits .....\$1.00 to \$3.00  
Boys' Vestee Suits .....\$1.25 to \$2.00  
Boys' Double-Breasted Short Pants Suits.....\$1.75 to \$2.50  
Boys' All-Wool Longs Pants Suits.....\$4.00 to \$5.00

If any dissatisfaction from any cause after you get your purchase home come back and get your money.

We are better prepared this season than we have ever been before to furnish your boys their first Communion and Confirmation Suits, in double-breasted short pants suits, three-piece short pants suits, or suits with long pants, in any quality you may desire. Any alteration necessary to secure a perfect fit will be made by our tailor free of charge—\$3.00 to \$12.00.

**SPECIAL THIS WEEK**—We have just opened and placed on sale this week two hundred dozen boys' knee pants, all wool, double seat and knee, double stitched seams, every pair warranted not to rip. Just the thing for boys who are hard on clothes—50c pair.

# THE HUB, Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,

FOURTEENTH AND MARKET STREETS.

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS—LEE BAER

## Young Men's Suits.

Ordinarily young men between the ages of 15 and 20 know how to dress. They are close observers in this matter, and they soon learn the correct styles. We should like to have such young men—accustomed to good dress—know THIS Clothing Store. As an example of what we've been planning for them, this one instance is cited here:

Suits of fancy chevrons, or neat worsted effects, in small checks or plaids; four-button sack coats; trousers cut in high-priced tailor fashion. In these some as low as \$7 50; many qualities between these and \$15 00. This is a line of Young Men's Clothing, the equal of which we think has never been shown in this city.

# Lee Baer,

TWELFTH STREET'S CLOTHIER

CHINA AND GLASSWARE—JOHN FRIEDEL &amp; CO.

## CHINA AND GLASSWARE.

A good many pieces of China and Glassware were broken during the flood. We have an elegant line for those that want to replenish, at all prices, from the cheapest to the best.

Also a full line of Wall Papers—2 1-2c up.

## JOHN FRIEDEL & CO.,

1119 MAIN STREET.

J. E. LOCKE SHOE COMPANY.

## Our Message.

Bring your ideas of what you would like to have in the SHOE LINE to our store and you will find the original.

NO TWO LIKE THESE.

Ladies' Silk Vesting Top Lace Chocolate Vici Kid Foxing .....\$2.50  
Ladies' Chocolate Kid Lace with Fancy Vesting Top, correct in every way.....\$2.00

## Locke Shoe Company.

MERCHANT TAILOR.

## TO ORDER.

Suits to order, \$15.00 up.  
Overcoats to order, \$15.00 up.  
Pants to order, \$4.00 up.

## CALLIGAN,

1424 Market Street.

HOTELS.

"NEAREST TO THE STATION."

## The Glades Hotel,

OAKLAND, MD.

"ALL THE YEAR ROUND."

EXPERT ACCOUNTANT.

## W. G. WILKINSON,

1521 Market St., Wheeling, W. Va.

Auditor and Accountant.

Special attention given to examination of accounts. Will be pleased to have your patronage.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

References—Howard Hazlett, President Mutual Savings Bank; Alex. Mitchell, Treasurer Mutual Savings Bank; Simpson & Hazlett, Brokers; J. N. Vance, President Riverside Iron Works; G. Lamb, Cashier Bank of Wheeling; M. Joffers, Attorney at Law; Caldwell & Caldwell, Attorneys at Law; John J. Coniff, Attorney at Law; N. E. Whitaker, President Whitaker Iron Co.; I. E. Sands, Cashier Exchange Cell.

DENTISTRY.

## E. E. WORTHEN,

DENTIST.

Peabody Building, Room No. 301.

1126 Market Street, ... Wheeling, W. Va.

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